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**Subject:** R7 OPA Update -- West Lake Landfill Superfund Site

Mark Hague will speak with Rep. Ann Wagner this afternoon.

There were no new EPA interviews yesterday and none scheduled for today.

There are a couple of News Stories of note today.

**KSDK Ch. 5 St. Louis - Landfill reaction physically impossible, owner says - 11/3/15** - It has hundreds of families living in fear and school districts preparing for nuclear emergencies. But on Tuesday, the owner of two controversial landfills in north St. Louis County said there is no reason to be alarmed.  
<http://www.ksdk.com/story/news/local/2015/11/04/st-louis-missouri-bridgeton-landfill-west-lake-radioactive-waste-republic-services/75136144/>

**KMOV Channel 4 St. Louis - Trains could carry radioactive waste from Westlake Landfill though St. Charles County - 11/3/15** - If a decision is made to remove radioactive waste from Westlake, railways could end up transporting it. A derailment is always a risk near any set of tracks, but if train carrying radioactive waste is the one that derails, it could be a catastrophe.  
<http://www.kmov.com/story/30428416/trains-could-carry-radioactive-waste-from-westlake-landfill-though-st-charles-county>

#### **Scheduled Communications Activities:**

<b>Day/Time</b>	<b>Action/Event</b>
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<b>Nov. 4</b>	<b>3:15 P.M.</b>
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**Nov. 9**

Mark Hague will speak by phone with Rep. Ann Wagner  
Mark Hague meet in-person with MO Attorney General

**Nov. 12**

9:00 AM

Mark Diedrich (EM) scheduled meeting with the School Districts in the area (Hazelwood, Pattonville, Parkway and Ritenour).

**LOCATION:** St Louis County Office of Emergency Management

1150 Hanna Rd, Ballwin, MO

**Nov. 12**

**EPA Reps: Jeff Field, Scott Hayes, Tom Mahler**  
**11:00 – 11:30 A.M.**

**St. Louis Federal Executive Board—Full Board Meeting**

(The Board meeting starts at 10AM but there are other issues on the agenda first).

**LOCATION:** Drury Inn & Suite Convention Center is 711 North Broadway, across the street from the Edward Jones Dome on Broadway and Convention Place.

711 North Broadway

St. Louis, MO 63102

Parking entrance (door) on southwest corner of Drury just pull up to push to talk to box and tell them you are with the FEB. Park on 3 or 4 floor. Same push to talk at elevators, go down to first floor and meeting is to right of the front desk.

[http://www.stlouisfeb.us/Board\\_Leadership.html](http://www.stlouisfeb.us/Board_Leadership.html)

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**Nov. 18**

**EPA Reps: Jeff Field, Scott Hayes, Tom Mahler**

Nov. 18, 12:00-1:30 p.m.

Mayor Terry Briggs (City of Bridgeton) also has a meeting luncheon set up with local businesses. Total businesses are about 500 but he does not expect anywhere close to full attendance.

Location: SSM Health DePaul Hospital located at 12303 DePaul Drive, Bridgeton, MO 63044.

The meeting room is the May Center (a large conference room on the southeast corner of the hospital). Link to the hospital map  
<http://www.ssmhealth.com/depaul/documents/depaulhospitalmap.pdf>  
and campus map

<http://www.ssmhealth.com/depaul/documents/depaulcampusmap.pdf>  
[INVITATION TO PARTICIPATE]

**Nov. 18**

**Organizer:** UMSTL Whitney R. Harris World Ecology Center

**What:** Discussion panel. Each person would be provided 15-20 minutes for opening remarks prior to Q&A by Moderator.

**Who:** Invited Moderator – Veronique LaCapra.

Invited Participations – EPA, MDNR, MO Coalition for the Environment, Dawn Chapman, Republic Services, Mark Diedrich, MO AG's Office,

**When:** Wednesday, November 18th at 2 p.m. 1.5-2 hours long.

**Where:** University of Missouri St. Louis, Millennium Student Center